

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BERNS et al. Examiner: DIANA B. JOHANNSEN
Serial No.: 10/581,611 Group Art Unit: 1634
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Title: PREDICTING RESPONSE AND OUTCOME OF METASTATIC BREAST
CANCER ANTI-ESTROGEN THERAPY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed March 26, 2010, the period of response being extended from June 26, 2010 to September 26, 2010.

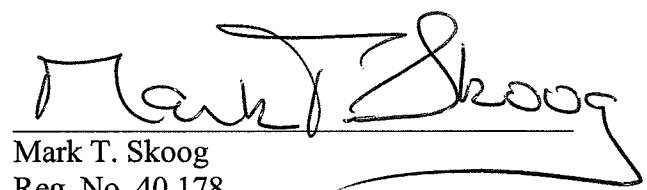
The amount of \$1,110 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity is being paid by credit card.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

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